

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

*In re*

*the application of:* Stefan Ahman

*Serial No.:* 10/527,877

*Filed:* March 16, 2005

*Art Unit:* 1797

*Examiner:* LAWRENCE JR, Frank M.

*Docket:* F02/004-0

*For:* METHOD AND DEVICE FOR SEPARATING GASEOUS  
POLLUTANTS FROM HOT PROCESS GASES BY  
ABSORPTION AND A MIXER FOR MOISTENING  
PARTICULATE DUST

**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION**

Commissioner for Patents  
MAIL STOP: Amendments  
P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA

Dear Sir:

The Office Action mailed October 29, 2007 has been carefully considered. In response thereto, please enter the following amendments and consider the following remarks.

**AUTHORIZATION TO DEBIT ACCOUNT**

It is not believed that extensions of time or fees for net addition of claims are required, beyond those that may otherwise be provided for in documents accompanying this paper. However, in the event that additional extensions of time are necessary to allow consideration of this paper, such extensions are hereby petitioned under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), and any fees required therefor (including fees for net addition of claims) are hereby authorized to be charged to deposit account no. **03-2578**.